

Livestock market and auction news

Lancaster Market

Monday, Nov. 28

Report Supplied By USDA

Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep

Today	809	136	985	189
Last Monday	796	105	828	313
Last Year	875	126	790	182
Monday's Auction	1010	154	992	238
Last Monday's Auction	855	111	817	339

CATTLE: Compared to last Monday slaughter steers 2.00-4.00 higher; few sales heifers 1.00-2.00 higher; cows 50-1.00 higher, or mostly steady with last Wednesday; bullocks not fully tested; bulls 1.00-2.00 higher. Supply included 54% slaughter steers, 10% slaughter heifers, 25% cows, and 11% bulls.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1175-1450 lb. 67.25-69.25, few head 69.75-70.25; Choice 2-4 1050-1350 lb. 64.75-69.35, mainly 65.50-67.75; high Good and low Choice 2-3 1100-1350 lb. 62.00-65.00; Good 2-3 57.50-63.50; Choice 1250-1350 lb. Holsteins 53.00-55.50, five head 1360-1660 lb. 60.00-60.50, Good 1200-1400 lb. 50.00-52.75, few Standard 47.00-50.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Few Choice 2-3 900-1075 lb. 62.00-63.50; Good 2-3 900-1050 lb. 57.00-60.50, few 800-900 lb. 52.00-56.00; several Good 2-4 900-1200 lb. heiferettes 42.50-48.75.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 38.50-41.25, several 41.50-42.50; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 36.00-39.50, few 39.50-40.50; Canner and low Cutter 33.50-36.00.

BULLOCKS: Few Choice 1050-1250 lb. 57.25-59.25, couple 62.60-66.00; Good 1000-1250 lb. 54.00-57.00.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1250-2000 lb. 49.00-53.50, couple 53.50-55.25, two head 1125-1500 lb. 63.25-64.50; yield grade 2 1000-1350 lb. 44.75-50.00, few 43.50-44.75.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers firm to 5.00 higher; slaughter calves 5.00-8.00 higher. Demand fair for Holstein bulls to return to farm. One lot Prime special fed 380 lb. bought to arrive at 120.00.

VEALERS: Choice 160-250 lb. 90.00-105.00, few 105.00-110.00; high Good and low Choice 160-300 lb. 75.00-90.00, 120-160 lb. 60.00-75.00, 90-115 lb. 45.00-52.00, 70-90 lb. 35.00-48.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Good and Choice 250-580 lb. 45.00-58.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 100-120 lb. Holstein bulls 60.00-75.00, few 75.00-80.00; 85-95 lb. 50.00-65.00.

SHEEP: Woolled lambs firm to 3.00 higher; slaughter ewes steady. Supply included about 130 goats, sold by the head.

WOOLED LAMBS: Choice and Prime 90-110 lb. 57.00-60.00; Choice 80-110 lb. 50.00-58.00, few 40-60 lb. 55.00-60.00; Good 50-90 lb. 45.00-50.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 15.00-25.00.

GOATS: All goats sold by the head, mainly 35.00-40.00, several big billies 45.00-58.00, few kid goats 23.00-30.00.

Vintage Auction

Tuesday, Nov. 29

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Cattle Calves Sheep Goats

Today	1089	1008	13	2
Last Tuesday	977	1	6	
Last Year	1002	952	10	17

CATTLE: Compared to last Tuesday slaughter steers 1.50 to mostly 2.00 higher; slaughter heifers 1.00-2.00 higher; cows fully steady, instances 2.00 higher on Breaking Utility and Commercial, bulls mostly steady. Supply included 518 steers and 518 cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1250-1475 lb. 67.85-69.25, few 70.00-70.50; Good and Choice 1-2 1175-1450 lb. 68.25-68.75, few 69.75-70.60, couple 71.35-71.85; Choice 2-4 1100-1525 lb. 65.75-68.00, few 68.00-68.60; high Good and low Choice 2-3 1000-1425 lb. 63.50-66.00; Good 2-3 59.00-63.50; Standard 1-2 975-1200 lb. Holsteins 44.50-47.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 1000-1125 lb. 61.50-63.35; Good 935-1200 lb. 58.00-60.50.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 38.00-41.00, several 42.00-44.25, couple 45.50-47.00; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 35.00-39.50, several 39.50-41.00, couple 41.50-42.75; Canner and low Cutter 32.75-35.25, few 31.00-32.50.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1500-2135 lb. 48.00-51.25; few yield grade 2 1000-1350 lb. 45.00-48.00.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers mostly steady, although Choice and Prime not fully tested. Supply included 663 in graded sale of which 63 percent sold to return to farm.

VEALERS: Couple Choice 250-285 lb. 96.00-100.00; high Good and low Choice 160-280 lb. 65.00-86.00, 120-140 lb. 55.00-70.00, 80-115 lb. 40.00-49.00 couple 50.00-53.00, 60-60 lb. 35.00-44.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: 60 head 90-105 lb. Holstein heifers 48.00-51.00; few 110-120 lb. 56.00. 230 head 90-125 lb. Holstein bulls 77.00-86.00; 75 head small frame 100-120 lb. 63.00-74.00, with 25 head 100 lb. 48.00 and 25 head 90-95 lb. 47.50.

SHEEP: Insufficient volume for a market test.

GOATS: No test.

Lancaster Auction

Wednesday, Nov. 30

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Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep

Today	494	83	719	20
Last Wednesday	464	20	306	0
Last Year	311	53	633	5
Wednesday's Auction	322	80	640	20
Last Wednesday's Auction	271	20	353	0

CATTLE: Compared to Monday slaughter steers 1.00-1.50 lower, extremes 2.00 lower; slaughter heifers mostly steady; cows steady; bulls fully steady. Supply included 47 percent slaughter steers and 33 percent cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Few high Choice and Prime 3-4 1200-1375 lb. 66.00-67.00; Choice 2-4 1100-1400 lb. 63.75-66.00; high Good and low Choice 2-3 1050-1350 lb. 60.75-63.50; Good 2-3 1100-1325 lb. 57.00-61.50; few head Choice 1300-1400 lb. Holsteins 53.75-56.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 900-1230 lb. 58.75-62.25; Good 2-3 900-1050 lb. 53.00-58.50; Good 900-1300 lb. heiferettes 42.00-44.50, few head 44.50-50.00.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 38.00-40.00, few 42.00-43.75; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 35.75-40.00, few 40.00-42.00; Canner and low Cutter 33.50-35.50.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1350-1700 lb. 49.75-52.25, individual 2010 lb. 56.25, couple 1385-1425 lb. 60.00-60.25; yield grade 2 1000-1400 lb. 44.50-49.00.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers mostly steady. Demand fair for Holstein bulls to return to farm.

VEALERS: Few high Good and low Choice 160-300 lb. 70.00-75.00, bulk of supply 80-115 lb. 45.00-52.00 couple to 55.00, few 70-80 lb. 35.00-42.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 100-120 lb. Holstein bulls 60.00-75.00.

SHEEP: No market test.

high Choice and prime 3-4 1200-1375 lb. 64.50-66.00; Choice 2-4 1050-1400 lb. 61.75-64.75, mainly 62.00-64.00; high Good and low Choice 2-3 1050-1400 lb. 59.00-62.00; Good 2-3 57.50-59.00; Good and Choice 1200-1650 lb. Holsteins 48.00-52.25; Standard 1-2 46.50-48.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 925-1065 lb. 59.00-62.00; Good 2-3 850-1050 lb. 54.00-58.00.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 36.00-39.25, few 39.50-42.00; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 33.00-37.00, few mainly early sales 37.50-39.50; Canner and low Cutter 30.00-34.00, several late sales 28.00-30.00.

BULLOCKS: Choice 1000-1375 lb. 54.00-56.25, couple 56.50-58.00, Good 1000-1350 lb. 49.75-52.00.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1350-1900 lb. 48.00-52.25, couple 52.50-54.25; yield grade 2 1000-1450 lb. 44.00-48.50.

VEAL CALVES: 788. Demand good for high Good to Prime vealers, only fair for high Good and low Choice 70-120 lb. Demand good for Holstein bulls to return to farm.

VEALERS: Choice 150-350 lb. 78.00-100.00, few high Choice and Prime 200-320 lb. 100.00-109.00; high Good and low Choice 160-350 lb. 60.00-85.00, 120-160 lb. 52.00-65.00, 80-115 lb. 38.00-50.00, mainly 40.00-44.00, few 60-80 lb. 35.00-40.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Good and Choice 350-550 lb. 44.00-56.00, few Choice 56.00-64.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 100-130 lb. Holstein bulls 68.00-82.00, few 83.00-90.00, several 80-100 lb. 49.00-70.00.

SHEEP: 35. Demand good for Woolled lambs and only fair for slaughter ewes.

WOOLED LAMBS: Choice 65-100 lb. 59.00-63.00; few Good 55-85 lb. 48.00-57.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 8.00-18.00.

GOATS: 33. All goats sold by the head, mainly 25.00-39.00, six head 40.00-47.00.

Lancaster Weekly

Friday, December 2

Cattle	4500	2025
Calves	2280	1111
This Week	3901	1791
Last Week		
Last Year		

CATTLE: Slaughter steers early

New Holland Livestock

Thursday, December 1

Report Supplied by Auction

CATTLE: 1288. Trend not comparable, no market last Thursday because of Holiday. Demand only fair for all classes. Supply included 550 slaughter steers and 569 cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Few

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1:00 P.M.— Feeder Pigs

WEDNESDAY
10:00 A.M.— Slaughter Bulls, Heifers, Steers, Cows
11:00 AM.— Veal Calves, Lambs, Hogs

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